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TO

Amend the Money Laws of Ireland.

A.D. 1878.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to amend the money laws of Ireland by prohibiting after a certain period the issuing of promissory notes under the sum of two pounds :

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1. If any body politic or corporate, or any person or persons, shall on or after the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and eighty make, sign, issue, or reissue in Ireland any promissory note payable on demand to the bearer thereof for any sum less than *two pounds*, then and in such case any such body politic or corporate, or person or persons, so making, signing, issuing, or reissuing any such promissory note as aforesaid shall for every such note so made, signed, issued, or reissued forfeit the sum of *twenty pounds*.

Prohibition to issue any promissory note for less than two pounds under a penalty of twenty pounds.

2. The penalties which shall or may be incurred under the provisions of this Act may be sued for, recovered, levied, mitigated, and applied in such and the same manner as any other penalties imposed by any of the laws now in force relating to the duties under the management of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue.

Penalties incurred to be recovered by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue.

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*(Proposed and brought in by  
Mr. Deasy and Mr. Richard Power.)*

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